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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

Prior to examination of the above mentioned nonprovisional patent application, please make the following amendments.

*In the Specification:*

Delete the Sequence Listing, pages 1-103, submitted September 7, 2001, and replace it with the enclosed Supplemental Sequence Listing, pages 1-103.

REMARKS

In response to the Notice To Comply with Sequence Listing Requirements mailed November 28, 2001, Applicants submit herein a Supplemental Sequence Listing, Statement in Support of CRF and Electronic Copy of Sequence Listing.

Applicants have rearranged the names of the artificial primer sequences of SEQ ID NOs:22-24, 26-28, 30-32, 34-36, 38-40, 42-44, 46-48, 50-52, 54-56 and 58-60 by moving the word "primer" to the end of the line for the Feature "Description of Artificial Sequence" required at line identifier <223>. As requested, the "ag" characters of our Internal Accession Numbers no longer appear at the beginning of their own lines. No new matter has been added.

Checker 3.0 software reports that the Supplemental Sequence Listing submitted herein is free of errors. However, the Biotechnology Systems Branch of the Scientific and Technical Information Center may wish to know that Checker 3.0 also reported that the initial Sequence Listing submitted September 7, 2001, was similarly free of errors. Applicants believe the instant Supplemental Sequence Listing now complies with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 - 1.825.